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LAST WEEK OF FOUR BARGAIN MONTH

LIFE'S SPARK OUT

FOR IRA DeHAVEN.

Bright's Disease Causes His Death After Lingering Illness Of Many Weeks.

LONG A PENITENTIARY GUARD.

Ira DeHaven died last Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary DeHaven, in this city. He had been in poor health since the first of May. About June 8 his condition became critical and there was little hope entertained of his recovery. Death was due to Bright's disease. Mr. DeHaven's home was at Paducah, but he came ill here while on a visit.

Mr. DeHaven was born in this city in 1868. In the early part of his life he engaged extensively in the tan-bark and timber business with his father, the late Judge John R. DeHaven. He then was employed by a number of mercantile firms of this city. In 1894 he secured a position as guard at the State penitentiary at Frankfort. He afterwards was given a like position at the Eddyville penitentiary, which he held at the time of his death. He always took an active interest in politics and had many friends among the political leaders of the County and State.

In February, 1902, the deceased was married to Miss Talmage D. Stone, of Frankfort. To this union was born one son. Singularly, the child was born on Wednesday, Mr. DeHaven was born on Wednesday and died on Wednesday. Mrs. DeHaven will remain in the city several weeks and then return to her old home at Frankfort.

Besides his wife, mother and child, Mr. DeHaven is survived by four brothers, Fred, of Louisville, Carl, of Terre Haute, Ind., Orville and William, of this city, and one sister, Miss Mamie DeHaven.

The funeral was held from the family residence Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Revs. P. L. King and S. O. Christian officiating, and the interment was in the city cemetery.

BUGBEE.

Hardinsburg, Ky., July 26, 1904.—Mrs. Elias Bugbee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taul, died at Waynesburg, Okla., June 13. She was married to Mr. Bugbee, of Iowa, at Tulsa, Okla., April, 1899. Judith lived an exemplary Christian life and leaves many friends and relatives with a husband and three girls to mourn her loss. The little ones will never realize the loss of a mother.

Blest be the tie that binds
The kindred hearts so dear,
And with the cord we thus entwined,
We loose our friends so near.

Cousin.

IN CIRCUIT COURT.

Clark Owen, of Breckenridge county, was fined \$50. His stock license gave him no right to operate in Hancock. Judgment was rendered in favor of the Two States Bank at Stephensport against R. W. Shoemaker for \$225 with 6 per cent interest from May 13.—Hancock Clarion.

IS NOW BETTER.

Miss Ethel Johnson and brother, Murray, of East Third street, have returned to their home after a week's stay in Breckenridge county, where they were called to the bedside of their cousin, Miss Myrtle Williamson, who was dangerously ill, but is better.—Sunday's Owensboro Inquirer.

Entertained Informally.

Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Skillman entertained informally the younger set Friday evening, in honor of their guests, Misses Ruth and Lucile Graham and Mary and Eliza Barret, of Louisville.

ANDREW BURK IS

FREE MAN AGAIN.

Acquitted Of Complicity in Murder of J. P. McCarver Near Victoria in 1900.

PINCHECOE FIGHTERS PINCHED.

In the circuit court at Hawesville Friday Andrew Burk was acquitted on the charge of killing or assisting to kill J. P. McCarver, an old man, no Christmas eve, 1900, near Victoria. At previous terms of this court Dan and Mike Burk, uncles of Andrew, were sentenced to the penitentiary on the same charge. About one year after the crime Dan was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, but was pardoned by Gov. Beckham after he had served about six months.

The term of Mike Burk, who, later, was given a sentence of two years, is now nearly finished. Andrew Burk had fought the charge against him for nearly four years. The verdict in his case was not unexpected.

The killing of McCarver is familiar to many of our readers, as it attracted much attention at the time both in Breckenridge and Hancock counties, as have the trials of the three Burks.

The night the crime was committed the Burk boys were very much under the influence of liquor and were returning from this city to their home at Victoria. McCarver kept a store near Victoria and when they reached this place they made some disturbance. McCarver told them to keep quiet and the shooting then began, it is said. A witness of the affray, who fled for safety, said he saw Andrew Burk standing over McCarver with a knife raised in his hand. The body bore out this part of the story, as there was a knife wound in it sufficient to cause death. Andrew Burk, testifying for himself, said that he had no knife, having loaned his weapon to Mike on the road to the place.

Jake Richards was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary by the Hancock circuit court last Wednesday for having shot Miles Fuqua. Scott Smith, Otis Smith and Richards also were each fined \$25 and sentenced to serve twenty days in jail for breaking up a singing school several months ago at Pinchecoe, that dark and remote section of Hancock county.

Piles Upon Top of Piles.

Piles upon top of piles of people have the Piles, and DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures them. There are many different kinds of Piles, but if you get the genuine and original Witten Hazel Salve made by E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, a cure is certain. H. A. Tisdale, of Summertown, S. O., says, "I had piles 20 years and DeWitt's Salve cured me after everything else failed." Sold by all druggists.

CLEARED \$31.80 ON MOON LIGHT PICNIC.

That giving moon light picnics is a paying business, when properly managed and advertised, is evidenced by Louis Sahlie's success in this particular line of trade, Friday night last. Mr. Sahlie attributes his success to the advertising which he placed in the News for several weeks and other methods employed by men who have the tact of making such ventures successful. With a lengthy grin on his face Mr. Sahlie stated in the News office Saturday that he cleared \$31.80 and would have had \$50 in profits had it not been for threatening rain. In the opinion of Mr. Sahlie, something like two hundred people were with him.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

DEATH COMES TO

MRS. H. C. SMITH.

Widow of the Late John C. Smith Dies of Heart Disease at Home in Hardinsburg.

LED DEVOTED CHRISTIAN LIFE.

Hardinsburg, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Hettie C. Smith, aged sixty-seven years, widow of the late John C. Smith, died at her home in this place Tuesday night, July 19. She had been sick about ten days with heart disease and her death was not unexpected. The funeral took place the following day from St. Romuald's church, the Rev. Father Wm. L. Gabe officiating at the services. She was laid to rest in the cemetery adjoining the church, beside her husband. Mrs. Smith leaves four children: T. L., James, Mrs. D. S. McGill and Miss Emma, beside other near relatives.

Mrs. Smith lived a devoted Christian life and she was noted for her faithfulness and piety. She will be much missed in this community.

Tight Shoes

Make soft corns, hard corns, and bunions hurt. Paracamp will relieve the pain instantly, draw out the inflammation and make the feet comfortable. There is nothing so good, so be sure you get Paracamp.

POSTOFFICE REPORT.

Postmaster J. H. Rowland has made his report of the business done by the local office for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904. It shows a very appreciable increase in receipts over those of the preceding year.

The total receipts of the office from July 1, 1903, to June 30, 1904, were \$2,460.44. This was divided as follows: Postage stamps, stamped envelopes, wrappers and postal cards, \$2,232.94; box rent \$175.50, postage on second-class matter, \$52. This is an increase of approximately fifteen percent over the receipts of the preceding year, which were \$2,150.

The number of money orders issued during the year were 2,551, and these amounted to \$10,064.50. The amount paid out on orders drawn on the local office was \$4,630.50. This leaves a surplus of \$5,134 to the credit of the local office which is sent to the depository at Louisville.

USEFUL BOOKLET.

The Henderson Route has issued a useful little booklet entitled "What is Inside and What is Outside the World's Fair and How to See It." The booklet is gotten out in neat form, and is attractively bound and printed and contains much important information for visitors to the great exposition. The booklet tells How To Go by the Henderson Route, How to Get Out to the Fair Grounds Upon Arrival at St. Louis, How to Get Around the Grounds and what Things To Note. It also contains many interesting facts about the exposition, a list of features alone "The Pike", a plan for touring the exposition, a large map of the World's Fair with index to every building, map of St. Louis, What to See in St. Louis, and a fine picture of Festival Hall and the Cascades.

GIVE LAWN FETE.

An enjoyable lawn fete was given at the home of Misses Margaret and Edith Barn Thursday evening by the Clover Blossoms, the juvenile missionary society of the M. E. church, South. About \$9.00 was cleared.

GIST SHORES.

Patesville, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—Will Gist, of this place, and Miss Kate Shores, of Victoria, were married Sunday, at the home of the bride.

OPENING SESSION

VERY PROMISING.

This Year's Teachers' Institute Will Probably be Best Ever Held in County.

ABOUT 100 TEACHERS PRESENT.

Hardinsburg, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—The Breckenridge County Teachers' Institute met in session at the courthouse Monday morning, with Supt. Joel H. Pile, presiding. The organization was perfected by the election of Miss Jessie Cary, of Glendane, as secretary. The instructor is Prof. Charles Evans, of Marion, who is one of the best in the State. About one hundred teachers are enrolled, and they seem, perhaps more than ever, earnest in their work, and this session of the institute promises to be the best held in recent years.

WILL OPERATE SOON.

Manager F. D. Whiteneck, of the local branch of the J. T. Polk company, of Greenwood, Ind., stated to a representative of the News Thursday that the plant will begin canning tomatoes about the middle of August. He said that the tomatoes being raised here for the cannery are in very good condition and are expected to ripen in large quantities in about three weeks. Mr. Whiteneck arrived in the city Thursday with D. S. Duncan, who has had a position with the company at Greenwood, but will have charge of the local cannery during Mr. Whiteneck's absence. Mr. Whiteneck came down from Greenwood to make some arrangements for the operation of the cannery and to spend several days in the city.

Six tomato-peening machines were shipped here last week to be installed at once in the cannery. Even with the use of these machines a large number of women will have to be employed, as it requires six or eight women to operate each machine.

BUTTON FACTORY.

The latest talk of industry for Cloverport is a button factory. Some of our citizens are of the opinion that an institution of this character would pay here. The mussel shells, which are being gathered out of the river here every summer and through the fall season, amount to many tons, and there is no reason why they should not be utilized here. Making buttons can be made as profitable here as anywhere else, and the thing we need is the factory to do the work. If a profit is made out of the business by shipping the shells to Iowa and other states, could it not be made so here? They have a button factory at Leavenworth, Ind., operated by home capital. A public meeting will be called to consider this matter in a short time.

KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS.

An empty tool box fell from a scaffold Friday afternoon and struck Forrest Pate in the head, inflicting a painful but not serious wound. He was knocked down by the blow and was unconscious for sometime. The box weighed fifteen or twenty pounds and fell about fifteen feet. His fellow workmen believe he would have been seriously hurt if a corner of the box had struck his head. The accident occurred at the L. B. & St. Louis shops.

GREATLY IMPROVED.

Mrs. John Lillard was operated on at Louisville Saturday morning for gallstone, five stones being removed. She stood the operation well and is now greatly improved. However she will not be able to return to this city for several weeks. She was accompanied to Louisville Saturday morning by Mr. Lillard.

COL. BRECKENRIDGE

WILL BE PRESENT.

Far-Famed Kentucky Orator To Attend Big Masonic Event At the County Seat.

HIS LETTER TO SHERMAN BALL.

Hardinsburg, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—Col. W. C. P. Breckenridge, the far-famed Kentucky orator, will be present at the big Masonic picnic, to be given here, Saturday Aug. 20. The following is his letter to W. S. Ball, the Master of the Lodge:

W. S. Ball, Esq., Hardinsburg, Ky.—Dear Sir.—On my return on Monday, after an absence of some days, I find yours of July 15, inviting me to be present on August 20, at the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple of Breckenridge lodge. I accept the invitation, and it will give me pleasure to be present. I recall with gratification my former visit to Hardinsburg nearly twenty-five years ago. Very truly yours, Wm. C. P. Breckenridge, Lexington, Ky., July 20, 1904.

Are You Sore?

Sore Feet. Sore Muscles, Sore joints, Rheumatism, Swellings, and all inflammations are quickly relieved and cured by the free use of Paracamp, a safe, reliable, home remedy. Guaranteed to do what is claimed for it or money refunded.

New Section Added.

A new section has been added to the switchboard of the local Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph exchange. The new section will accommodate fifty lines in addition to the 100 lines that have been in use. The enlargement of the switchboard has been made necessary by a large increase in the number of subscribers, all the old lines now being in use.

FINGERS MASHED.

Chas. Hook has been suffering the past week with three badly mashed fingers, which he injured by catching in some machinery at the local flour mill. He was compelled to quit work and Philip McGary came down from Hardinsburg to take his position as miller while he is recovering from the injury.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Edwin Forbes, of Fordsville, to Jno. Weisenberg, of this city, one lot on Elm street, between Fifth and Sixth. Consideration \$100. Edwin Forbes, of Fordsville, and Mrs. Bettie Robinson, of Falls of Rough, to Remus Pate, two lots on Elm street, between Fifth and Sixth. Consideration \$225.

STRIKE CAUSES TIE-UP.

A general strike over the entire country of all union workmen, which was declared at Chicago Monday morning at 7 o'clock, has tied up the country's meat packing industry, meaning a loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars daily to strikers, packers and consumers.

CHURCH DEDICATED.

Ekron, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—The Hill Grove church was dedicated last Sunday. Rev. B. F. Hagan preached the dedicatory sermon to an immense crowd. A splendid dinner was served on the ground. The afternoon service was conducted by Rev. Judson Hickerson.

RECEPTION THURSDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Younger will give a reception next Thursday evening in honor of Miss Grace Dugan, of Louisville, and Miss Ruth Younger, of Hawesville.

EKRON WEDDING.

Ekron, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—Frank Kennedy and Miss Birdie Hickerson were married Thursday evening, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Lon Neafus.

ROOFING TILE CO.

IS REORGANIZED.

Stockholders Who Sided With Supt. LaMont are Bought Out by Other Parties.

RESUME OPERATIONS AT ONCE.

The Murray Roofing Tile company, which owns a large plant just east of this city, has been re-organized. The name of the company remains unchanged but new parties have bought the interests of several of the old stockholders and the officers are new with only one or two exceptions. As re-organized, E. S. Moore, of Parkersburg, W. Va., is president;—Boone, of Parkersburg, treasurer; C. A. Cray, of Huntington, W. Va., vice-president; C. R. Murray, Huntington, secretary; and A. H. Murray, of this city manager. Lewis Mansbach, of Parkersburg, was formerly the president of the company, J. Broh, of Huntington, treasurer; C. A. Cray, secretary; A. H. Murray, manager; and Lewis LaMont, of St. Louis, superintendent.

The old Murray Roofing Tile company was organized about a year ago. The company bought the old Cloverport Brick & Manufacturing company's plant and converted it into a roofing tile plant. It was in operation several weeks, but opposition between the manager and the superintendent arose and operations were suspended. An equity suit between Messrs. A. H. Murray and Lewis LaMont, the old manager and superintendent respectively, is now pending in the Breckenridge circuit court. All the stockholders who sided with LaMont have sold their interests and the plant will be put in operation this week by the new owners.

BETTER AND BIGGER.

The Masons of this city are making preparations for their third annual barbecue which they intend shall be bigger and better than ever. The barbecue this year will be given on Thursday, August 11. The first and second barbecues drew thousands of people to this city from all sections of this and adjoining counties and proved the biggest attraction in the county each year. Every facility for handling a still greater crowd will be provided this year.

The attractions at the barbecue will include free concerts by the Commercial Club band of Cannelton, shows, field sports, a baby show, races, etc., which will keep the crowds interested all day.

SKIDS FALL ON LEG.

D. W. Murray, bookkeeper for the local branch of the Galleher Limited tobacco company, was painfully hurt Friday afternoon in front of the company's factory. He was standing near a wagon, which was being loaded with hogheads, when the heavy skids slipped from the wagon and struck him on the back of the left leg just above the heel. The member is badly bruised and it is thought by his physician that a small bone was broken. If the skids had struck his leg further from the foot it would have been broken, in the opinion of a spectator. Mr. Murray was taken to Hardinsburg Saturday morning by his father, Gen. D. R. Murray.

WED IN LOUISVILLE.

Ekron, Ky., July 26.—(Special.)—Mr. Boyd Haynes and Miss Sallie Allen, of Groveland, were married in Louisville last Sunday.

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